

January 2010

While each day brings its changes, there is one thing that is solid all the time: God's Love! It is always the same, it is always in its fullest; it is always pure and fills us with joy. While we all heard about it, we are always amazed when we feel it. I pray that I will always remember to love Him and show it by doing His will at all cost. God's love took a big load off my heart as we went through the purchase of the new church building. It calmed my heart when "things to do" piled up and there were not enough hours in the day to finish all on time. God's love encourages me to always look at Him and wait each moment for our personal meeting (Romans 8:33-39, 1 Thes. 4:13-18).

****NEW** - New mailing address:**

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Building update – good news!

We are now into the 4th week of the renovations process. We really appreciate your prayers for safety for the workers, for smooth coordination between all the different departments involved in the process, for wisdom and guidance from the Lord for the Elders who often need to make quick decisions on site, and for the neighbors to be patient during all the noise and the inconvenience.

For more information, please visit the ["Building Project" page](#).

African refugees - Christmas with the Sudanese

On Christmas evening 80 Sudanese joined us for the Christmas service. We called it: Celebrating God's Faithfulness. After our church service and fellowship, the Sudanese "took over" and stayed until 10 a.m the next day. During the night we sang, prayed and had bible lessons. The children could sleep on mattresses in the offices area" (bare floor...).

I must say that it's a pity that only few local church members stayed all night for prayer and praise. We got used to comfort at all cost – it is so sad.

We should not pray all night only if the life of our dear ones is in risk... I wish we will praise God in God's house all night more often.

Helping the needy

After the service last Saturday an elderly woman approached me with a note in her hand saying: "Will you please call this mission (local humanitarian Christian group) and ask them to help me?" I said: "I will not call! We can help, and as long we can provide all your needs, you don't need to call others." She was so happy.

Other families struggle in a similar way as well. By God's grace and through the love many of you share with us, we did not have to say NO, to anyone.

Please [click here](#) to find out more about our ministry of helping the needy.

New Books - Galatians and proverbs

By God's grace we can focus this year on these two new books. "Galatians" draft is ready and may go to the next level very soon. The draft level for "Proverbs for The Youth" may be finished, God willing, in a month. Please pray with us that the new books will help people to know the word of God better and to love Him for His grace to us in Jesus our Lord and Savior.

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